

SERIAL NO.: 09/904,487

Amendment dated November 26, 2003

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### REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

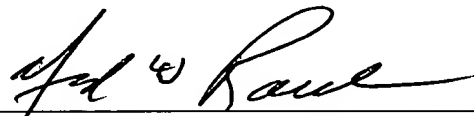
Claims 1 and 5-8 are currently pending in this application.

The Examiner has indicated that Claims 1 and 6-8 are directed toward allowable subject matter. Claim 5 was objected to as depending from a cancelled claim. Claim 5 is amended to correct the error.

The claims as amended are directed to subject matter indicated as allowable by the Examiner.

Applicant respectfully requests that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case.

Respectfully submitted,



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